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: IMAGE CONVERSION DEVICE AND IMAGE CONVERSION METHOD

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Sir:

Your petitioner, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., having a business address of 1006 Oaza Kadoma, Kadoma-shi, Osaka, Japan 571-8501, represents that it is the owner of record of the entire right, title and interest of the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 31, 2005, at Reel 016959, Frame 0589, for Application No. 10/509,677 for "IMAGE CONVERSION DEVICE AND IMAGE CONVERSION METHOD."

The undersigned representative is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee, and it is certified that to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee.

Your petitioner, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of any patent to issue from U.S. Application No. 10/509,679, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the

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same as the legal title to U.S. Application No. 10/509,679, this agreement to run with any patent

granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or

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punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States

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patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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